IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Mayer et al.

Attorney Docket No.: NOVLP001X1/NVLS-

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Application No.: 09/967,075

Examiner: Nicolas, Wesley A.

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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR UNIFORM ELECTROPOLISHING OF DAMASCENE IC STRUCTURES BY

SELECTIVE AGITATION

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims After Amendment		Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Fee	Large Entity Rate Fee
Total Claims	59	MINUS	73	0	x9 =	18 - 0.00
Independent Claims	2	MINUS	3	0	x 42 =	x 18 = 0.00 x 84 = 0.00
Multiple Depe	ndent Claim Pro	sent and Fe	e Not Previous	ly Paid	\$140.00	\$280.00
Z				Total	\$	\$0.00

Applicant(s) hereby petition for a 1 month extension(s) of time to respond to the aforementioned Office Action.

Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.

Enclosed is our Check No. <u>7688</u> in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the additional claim fee and/or extension of time fees.

Please charge additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. NOVLP001X1).

Respectfully submitted

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